

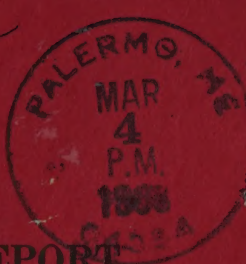
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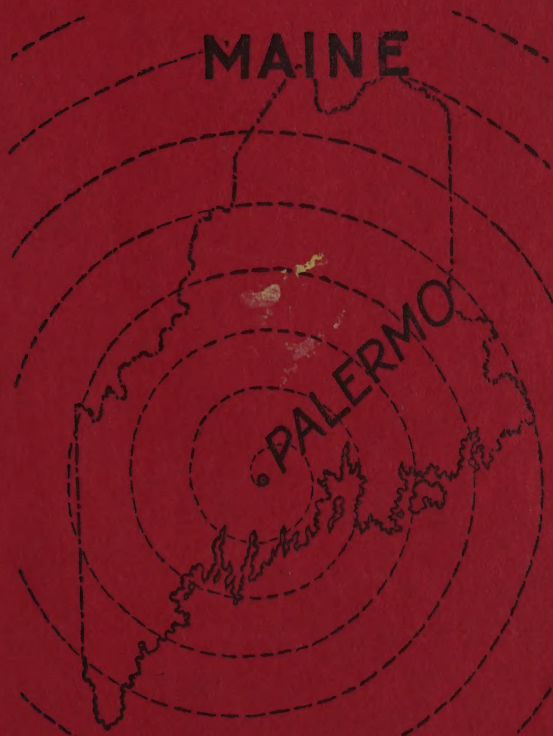


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**ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
MUNICIPAL OFFICERS
OF THE
TOWN OF PALERMO**

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FOR THE MUNICIPAL YEAR 1967

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Hutchins Brothers, Thorndike, Maine

TOWN WARRANT

**To Ralph Pilsbury, a Constable in the Town of
Palermo, in the County of Waldo, in the State of Maine:**

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to meet on the ninth day of March, 1968 at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the Branch Mills Grange Hall, in said Town, to act on the following articles, to wit:

- Art. 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.
- Art. 2. To choose a Town Clerk for the ensuing year.
- Art. 3. To choose a Board of Selectmen for the ensuing year.
- Art. 4. To choose a Board of Assessors for the ensuing year.
- Art. 5. To choose an Overseer of the Poor for three years.
- Art. 6. To choose an Overseer of the Poor for two years.
- Art. 7. To choose one member of the Superintending School Committee for the term of three years.
- Art. 8. To see how many Road Commissioners the Town will elect for the ensuing year.

- Art. 9. To elect one or more Road Commissioners for the ensuing year.
- Art. 10. To see what method the Town will take to collect taxes for the ensuing year and act on same.
- Art. 11. To elect a Tax Collector for the ensuing year.
- Art. 12. To choose a Town Treasurer for the ensuing year.
- Art. 13. To choose all other necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.
- Art. 14. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of \$100.00 from Grace Bronn, the principal to be kept intact and the income to be used for the care of the Raymond Bronn Lot in the New Greeley's Corner Cemetery.
- Art. 15. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of \$25.00 from Grace Bronn, the principal to be kept intact and the income to be used for the care of the fence in the New Greeley's Corner Cemetery.
- Art. 16. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of \$500.00 from Katherine Culbert and Beatrice Nelson, the principal to be kept intact and the income to be used for the care of the Wilfred and Silas Bowler Lots in the New Greeley's Corner Cemetery.
- Art. 17. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of \$500.00 from Katherine Culbert and Beatrice Nelson, the principal to be kept intact

and the income to be used to maintain flowers on the Silas Bowler Lot in the New Greeley's Corner Cemetery.

- Art. 18. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for Town Officers' Bills.

Recommended \$2,400.00

- Art. 19. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for Town Charges.

(Recommended \$1,500.00)

- Art. 20. To see what sum of money the Town wishes to raise and appropriate for the Palermo Volunteer Fire Department.

(Recommended \$500.00)

- Art. 21. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Fire Alarm System.

(Recommended \$132.00)

- Art. 22. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for Street Lights.

(Recommended \$138.00)

- Art. 23. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for public health nursing in Palermo. Said sum to be expended by the Maine Department of Health and Welfare, Bureau of Health, for local service.

Recommended

- Art. 24. To see what sum of money the Town wishes to raise and appropriate for Town Poor.

(Recommended \$500.00)

- Art. 25. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for its share of Aid to Dependent Children grants made to persons settled on the Town of Palermo.

(Recommended \$500.00)

- Art. 26. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to put the Town Grader out for hire at their discretion.

- Art. 27. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the Maine Publicity Bureau.

(Leave to the Town)

- Art. 28. To see what sum of money the Town wishes to raise and appropriate for Snow Removal, Ice Control, and buying of Equipment.

(Recommended to raise \$4,500.00)

(Appropriate from Excise Tax \$1,500.00)

- Art. 29. To see what sum of money the Town wishes to raise and appropriate for bush control.

- Art. 30. To see if the Town wishes to carry forward at the Selectmen's discretion unexpended balances to the same accounts for the ensuing year.

- Art. 31. To see what sum the Town will raise and appropriate for State Aid Road construction (in addition to the amounts regularly raised for

the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Title 23, MRSA, Sections 1101, 1103 or 1104.

(Recommended \$2,132.00)

- Art. 32. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate two units of State Aid money (\$1,066.00) to be used for construction and tarring of a portion of the Level Hill road starting at Rt. 3.

(Leave to the Town)

- Art. 33. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the selectmen to negotiate an agreement with the Board of County Commissioners of Waldo County, to form a civil defense district as provided by 1964 R. S. of Maine, Title 30, ss. 1952 and 1953.

- Art. 34. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Civil Defense.

(Recommended \$300.00)

- Art. 35. To see if the Town will vote to create a municipal planning board, consisting of five members and two associate members to be appointed by the Selectmen for staggered terms of one to five years initially and for 5-year terms thereafter. The purpose of this agency will be to perform such planning functions as may be essential for the administration, government and development of the town as authorized by the planning statutes of this state.

- Art. 36. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for use by said Planning Board for operating expenses, supplies and equipment.

(Recommended)

- Art. 37. To see if the Town will vote to enact as a health measure the following ordinance:

No person, firm or corporation shall construct or maintain any system for the disposal of domestic sewage, industrial, or commercial waste in such manner that said system would contaminate, pollute or act as a health hazard to any degree the lakes, ponds, rivers, streams, and brooks situated within the legal limits of the Town of Palermo. Any violator of this ordinance who persists in said pollution after written legal notice to desist from the Health Officer shall be fined \$10.00 for each day he remains in non-compliance after receipt of said notice.

- Art. 38. To see what sum of money the Town wishes to raise and appropriate for Town Roads and Bridges.

(Recommended to Raise	\$3,000.00
Appropriate from Excise Tax	2,000.00)

- Art. 39. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 to be paid to the Town of Liberty for the use of their Town Dump for the taxpayers of the Town of Palermo.

(Recommended)

- Art. 40. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to tar a portion of the Quigg Road.

(Recommended \$500.00)

- Art. 41. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to tar a portion of the Western Ridge Road.

(Recommended \$900.00)

- Art. 42. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for schools for the ensuing year.

(Recommended \$30,898.23)

- Art. 43. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,977.93 due the Maine School Building Authority for the payment on the school building.

- Art. 44. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the preparation of plans for an addition to the Palermo Elementary School which will provide needed classroom space and room for a town office including a fireproof vault for the preservation of vital and essential records as required by law. The Selectmen, School Board and Planning Board shall participate in the preparation of such plans.

- Art. 45. To see if the Town will vote to obligate the credit of the town for such architectual fees incurred in the above article as may be necessary to satisfy the State Department of Education.

- Art. 46. To see if the Town wishes to publish the names of Town Paupers in the Town Report for the ensuing year.
- Art. 47. To see if the Town will vote to charge interest on tax liens.
- Art. 48. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to sell any and all real estate acquired by tax liens and to give quit-claim deeds to same.
- Real estate to be advertised and sold by sealed bids.
- Art. 49. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to borrow money for the use of the Town upon the credit of the Town.
- Art. 50. To see if the Town will vote to have the Municipal year from January 1 to December 31.
- Art. 51. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen and School Committee to study with a group of towns as to the advantages of a School Administrative District for the Town of Palermo.
- Art. 52. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of \$135.84 from Christine Northrup, the principal to be kept intact and the income to be used for the New Greeley's Corner Cemetery Fence Fund.
- Art. 53. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to start a General Fund for care of the New Greeley's Corner Cemetery.

Given under our hands this 20th day of February,
A. D., 1968.

The Registrar will be present at the polls during the
voting hours for the purpose of registering new voters
and revising the list of voters.

CLAIR S. BRADSTREET

REGINALD E. HASKELL

Selectmen of Palermo

ASSESSORS' REPORT

Year Ending Dec. 31, 1967

Valuation	Real	Personal	Total
Resident	\$228,610.00	\$47,440.00	\$276,050.00
Non-Resident	172,450.00	27,610.00	200,060.00
			\$476,110.00
Value of Land		\$165,320.00	
Value of Buildings		235,740.00	
Number of Polls Taxed		151	
Number of Polls Not Taxed		25	
Number of Cattle Taxed		282	
Number of Cattle Not Taxed		131	
Number of Fowl Taxed		11,450	
Number of Broilers Taxed		134,700	
RATE OF TAXATION			.100

Amount of Taxes Assessed in 1967

Town Officers	\$2,300.00
Town Charges	1,500.00
Fire Department	500.00
Fire Alarm	132.00
Street Lights	138.00
Public Health Nurse	100.00
Town Poor	500.00
Aid to Dependent Children	200.00
Snow Removal and Sanding	4,500.00
Bush Control	300.00
State Aid Roads	2,132.00

Roads and Bridges	3,000.00
Liberty Dump	100.00
Cemeteries	30.00
Quigg Road (Tar)	600.00
Western Ridge Road (Tar)	900.00
Maine School Building Authority	1,919.11
Greeley Corner Cemetery	150.00
Schools	25,000.00
County Tax	3,372.50
Overlay	690.39
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	\$48,064.00

Supplemental Tax	\$788.27
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Appropriated from Excise Tax

Snow Removal	\$1,500.00
Roads and Bridges	2,000.00
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	\$3,500.00

Tax Exempt

Branch Mills Grange	\$ 1,200.00
Sheepscot Lake Grange	600.00
Greeleys Corner Church	600.00
North Palermo Church	600.00
State of Maine Rearing Pool	55,500.00
American Legion Home	350.00

Veterans' Exemptions

Bean, Raymond and Alice	\$ 543.00
Bradstreet, O. T.	1,600.00
Clark, Herbert	1,050.00
Glidden, George and Esther	3,500.00

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O'Donnell, Madeline	1,470.00
Richards, Nettie	200.00
Snell, Walter	3.00
Studley, George	3.00
Redman, Viola	390.00
Belden, Madeline	2,070.00

CLAIR S. BRADSTREET

STANLEY E. FOSTER

REGINALD E. HASKELL

Assessors of Palermo

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Town Charge

Appropriated		\$1,500.00
Income		598.62
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Total		\$2,098.62
Expended	\$2,048.69	
Balance	49.93	

Town Officers

Appropriated		\$2,300.00
Expended	\$2,354.70	
Overdraft		\$54.70

Street Lights

Appropriated		\$138.00
Expended	\$138.00	

Fire Alarm

Appropriated		\$132.00
Expended	\$132.00	

Volunteer Fire Department

Appropriated		\$500.00
Expended	\$500.00	

Forest Fire Account

Balance Brought Forward		\$200.00
Expended None		

Civil Defense

Balance Brought Forward	\$100.00
Expended None	

Health Nurse

Appropriated	\$100.00
Expended	\$100.00

Snow Removal and Sanding

Appropriated, Raise	\$4,500.00
Appropriated, Excise	1,500.00
State of Maine	2,671.50
Lincoln County	125.00
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Total	\$8,796.50
Expended	\$8,728.37
Balance	68.13

Roads and Bridges

Appropriated, Raise	\$3,000.00
Appropriated, Excise	2,000.00
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	\$5,000.00
Expended	\$5,092.47
Overdraft	\$92.47

State Aid

Appropriated	\$2,132.00
Expended	\$2,132.00

Town Road Improvement

Received from State of Maine	\$2,794.26
Expended	\$2,793.18
Balance	1.08

Bush Control

Balance Forward	\$39.98
Appropriated	300.00
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	\$339.98

Expended None

Western Ridge & Quigg Roads (Tar)

Balance Forward	\$ 244.49
Appropriated	1,500.00
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	\$1,744.49
Expended	\$2,442.76
Overdraft	\$698.27

Grader Account

Income	\$1,908.50
Expense	\$2,693.77

Poor

Appropriated	\$500.00
Income	85.00
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Total	\$585.00
Expended	\$1,300.92
Overdraft	\$715.92

Aid to Dependent Children

Balance Forward	\$318.20
Appropriated	200.00
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	\$518.20
Expended	\$430.92
Balance	87.28

Schools

Balance Brought Forward	\$ 3,494.05
Appropriated	25,000.00
Other Income	666.73
State of Maine	27,070.58
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Total	\$56,231.36
Expended	\$54,619.09
Balance	1,612.27
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Schools, Special

Received from State of Maine	\$5,391.30
Expended	\$5,335.44
Bal.	55.86

Schools, Title No. 1

Received from State of Maine	\$4,200.00
Expended None	

School Bond

Appropriated	\$1,919.11
Expended	\$1,919.11

Cemeteries, Trust Fund

Expended 1966	\$273.19
Income for 1966	273.19
Expended 1967	271.89
Income None	

Cemeteries, Town

Appropriated	\$30.00
Expended	\$9.67
Balance	\$20.33

Grading Greeley Corner Cemeteries

Balance Forward	\$150.00
Appropriated	\$150.00
Total	\$300.00
Expended	\$300.00

Dennis Hill Cemetery

Balance Forward	\$38.40
Expended	

County Tax

Appropriated	\$3,372.50
Expended	\$3,372.50

Town Dump

Appropriated	\$100.00
Expended None	

Temporary Loans

First National Granite Bank \$15,000.00

Expended \$15,000.00

Overlay

Appropriated \$690.39

CLAIR S. BRADSTREET

REGINALD E. HASKELL

Selectmen of Palermo

Town Officers Details**Selectmen:**

Clair S. Bradstreet	\$400.00
Stanley E. Foster	250.00
Reginald E. Haskell	200.00

Assessors:

Clair S. Bradstreet	162.00
Stanley E. Foster	120.00
Reginald E. Haskell	120.00

Treasurer:

Manley L. Nelson	350.00
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Tax Collector:

Harold E. Sennett	500.00
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Town Clerk:

Virginia Dowe	52.00
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Constable:

Ralph Pilsbury	20.00
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Registrar:

Doris Milla	45.70
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Overseers of Poor:

Clair S. Bradstreet	35.00
Stanley E. Foster	10.00
Reginald E. Haskell	10.00

Election Clerks:

Winola Studley	20.00
Melissa Sennett	20.00
Jeannette Scates	20.00
Harriet Tibbetts	20.00

Snow Details

Bryant Steel Works	905.98
Bradstreet, Clair	12.24
Childs, Stephen	163.36
Dyer, Harold	226.48
Dyer, Herbert	302.00
Foster Bros.	113.60
Glendenning, Myron	78.08
Haskell, Reginald	6.00
Higgins, Melvin	30.60
Haskell, Hattie (sand)	87.60
Insurance	11.00
Knowlton, Desmond	26.88
Larrabee, Howard	78.40
Merrithew, Willie	336.25
Morang, Albert	88.74
Nelson, Royce	2,531.86
Nelson, Keith	36.96
Nelson, Lester	10.71
Overlock, Merle	6.60
Plummer, Arthur	68.85
State of Maine	240.00
Saban, M. D., Sr.	48.96
Sennett, H. E.	20.07
Town of Palermo	705.00
Toby, Kempton	1,321.92
Toby, Elwood	78.08
Wellman, Paul	78.08
Chemical Corp. (salt)	506.04

Town Roads and Bridges

Brann, L.	26.88
Culverts	375.35
Childs, Stephen	278.32
Dyer, Harold	19.52

Foster, Stanley, Jr.	3.06
Glendenning, Myron	82.96
Haskell, Wellman	3.00
Haskell, Reginald	10.32
Haskell, Francis	4.00
Higgins, Melvin	72.37
Nelson, Royce	445.25
Nelson, Keith	13.08
Merrithew, Willie	760.50
Morang, Albert	44.37
Town of Palermo	1,192.50
Tobey, Kempton	910.31
Tobey, Elwood	163.58
W. A. Shurtleff Co.	672.00
York, Clayton	17.61

Town Road Improvement Fund

Boynton, John	10.08
Childs, Stephen	21.90
Dyer, Harold	239.68
Glidden, Mahlon	529.98
Glendenning, Myron	131.76
Grotton, Sheldon	42.00
Harding, Armelda (gravel)	211.00
Moody, Allen	156.80
Merrithew, Willie	4.72
Tobey, Kempton	697.67
Tobey, Elwood	288.38
Tobey, Donald	45.36
Town of Palermo	11.00
Wright, Chester	126.28
Weaver, Edward	99.45
York, Clayton	45.36
Wellman, Paul	131.76

Town Charge Details

Auditor	200.00
Clerks Cost	49.05
Collectors Cost	168.24
Interest	561.34
Insurance	146.40
Office Supplies	61.52
Miscellaneous	210.09
Town Reports	241.08
Treasurer Cost	41.45
Social Security	191.77
Telephone	63.00
Bonds	49.00

Grader Details

Repairs	244.21
Fuel and Grease	253.36
Payment	2,000.00
Insurance	196.20

Income \$1,908.50

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

1963**Uncollected Taxes**

Alfred & Esther Loder	\$.30
Raymond Bronn	3.92
Maurice Turner	3.50
Collected	45.38

\$53.10

1964**Uncollected Taxes**

William Blaisdell	3.52
Donald Glidden	5.64
Arthur Hannon	3.00
Alfred & Esther Loder	7.70
Maurice Turner	5.04

\$24.90

1965**Uncollected Taxes**

William S. Blaisdell	\$ 8.64
Russell Brann	7.10
Donald Glidden	3.48
Arthur Hannan	3.00
Justin Jones	26.36
Alfred & Esther Loder	7.56
Herbert & Fern Keller	11.64
Frank Packard	13.80

Robert Potter	3.00
John P. & Robert Potter	255.45
Frederick Soule	7.56
Merle Severance	7.56
Maurice Turner	16.20
Colin Dyer	24.00
Ralph Pratt	1.00
Collected	119.50

\$515.85

1966**Uncollected Taxes**

Raymond Bronn	\$ 4.20
Russell Brann	4.10
Colin Dyer	13.00
Mahlon Glidden	7.35
Donald Glidden	9.30
Arthur Hannan	3.00
Justin W. Jones	12.75
James O'Donnell	7.20
Robert O'Donnell	5.10
Alfred & Esther Loder	7.35
Frank Packard	7.35
John P. & Robert Potter	416.05
Lester Rankin	3.00
Frederick Soule	7.35
Stanley Soule	5.91
Merle Severance	7.35
Maurice Turner	11.55

Non-Resident

Edward Loder	31.50
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\$563.41

Uncollected Supplemental

Sanford Allen		\$20.00
1966 Abatements	\$273.90	
1967 Commitment	\$48,064.00	
1967 Supplemental	788.27	
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1967 Taxes Collected	\$43,204.27	
1967 Uncollected Taxes	5,358.00	
1967 Abatements	290.00	
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Excise Tax Paid Town Treasurer

1967 Excise Tax	\$5,135.65	
1968 Excise Tax	898.22	
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Excise Tax Receipts on File		\$6,033.87

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD E. SENNETT

Tax Collector

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Resident Unpaid Taxes

Melvin Bailey	\$ 71.00
William S. Blaisdell	43.00
William Blaisdell, Jr.	3.00
Raymond Bronn	7.00
Russell Brann	26.00
George Begin	10.00
Cleveland Curtis	77.00
Colin Dyer	33.00
Herbert Dyer	412.25
William Davis	44.00
Guy Fuller	10.00
Mahlon Glidden	57.00
Donald Glidden	59.00
Elizabeth Gilley	104.00
Arthur Hannan	3.00
Silas Hannan Heirs	123.00
Phyllis Jones	100.00
Justin Jones	13.00
Addie Leeman Heirs	6.00
Alfred & Esther Loder	55.00
Ora Ladd	76.00
Owen Ladd	12.00
James O'Donnell	7.00
Ralph & Francis Pilsbury	380.00
Ralph Pratt	169.00
Frank Packard	6.00
Lilla W. Packard Heirs	40.00
John P. & Robert Potter	925.40
John P. Potter	3.00
Robert Potter	3.00
Richard Potter	3.00
Lester Rankin	3.00

Leo Smith	34.00
Gordon Swift	10.00
Edgar Sewell	25.00
Frederick Soule	50.00
Stanley Soule	33.00
Charles & Marion Soule	115.00
Harry & Ellen Studley	119.00
Merle Severance	57.00
Frederick & Nancy Williams	167.00
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	\$3,493.65

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Non-Resident Unpaid Taxes

Lyle & Ann Blythe	\$ 70.00
William & Helen Cross	65.00
Ernest Crocker, Jr.	114.00
Sheldon Day	90.00
James F. & Gerine Dowling	65.00
Lawrence French	11.00
Leslie French	25.00
Charlotte Giles	24.00
Charles & Joyce Haskell	6.00
Dana Hinckley	70.00
Charles F. Kallman	260.00
H. M. Lenfest Heirs	35.00
Edward Loder	200.00
Myrle Leeman	10.00
Leo Morneau	30.00
Forrest Peavey Heirs	16.00
Stewart & Mona Prescott	180.00
Michael J. & Marie Quattrucci	70.00
John & Josephine Smith	49.00
Franklin Seigers	5.00

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Mary Shapiro	233.35
Cedric Sukeforth	30.00
Virginia Tracy Heirs	15.00
Maynard Whitaker	21.00
Walter & Hope Webb	45.00
Winter Scientific Institute	125.00
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	\$1,864.35

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance Forward	\$1,228.66
Received from Palermo Grader Use:	
Town of Palermo	1,908.50
Received from Withholding Tax	3,095.30
Received from Social Security	246.11
Received from First National Granite Bank	
(Loans)	15,000.00
Received from Palermo School Lunch for Food	
Mixer	444.42
Received from Clayton Haskell for Town Property	78.50
Received from Manley Nelson, Reimbursement	
on Cemetery Funds	273.19
Received from John Potter for Emma Finley Lot	100.00
Received from R. I. Ashman for Richards Lot	75.00
Received from Arthur Trask for Nance Romeo	
Property	1,500.00
Received from Town of China, Reimbursement	
on Poor Acct.	85.00
Received from Town of Orrington, Reimbursement	
on Poor Acct.	703.75
Received from Lincoln County for Plowing the	
Gore	125.00
Received from Joe E. Rines, Jr. for Pistol Permit	2.00
Received from Milton Turner for Pistol Permit	2.00
Received from Raymond Bean for Pistol Permit	2.00
Received from Fred Didusch for overpayment of	
Bill	44.92
Received from Uncashed Check	1.31
Received from Manley Nelson for Unused Porcu-	
pine Money	16.00
Received from American Educ. Pub. for Overpay-	
ment of Bill	33.18

Received from Tax Liens, Costs and Interest:

Received from Alfred and Esther	
Loder, 1961 Tax Lien	\$ 15.00
Received from Merle Severance,	
1965 Tax Lien	61.32
Received from James and Corine Dow-	
ling, 1966 Tax Lien	72.60
Received from Leo Smith, 1966 Lien	35.35
Received from Paul Fletcher for Grace	
Bronn 1965 Lien	50.95
Received from Grace Bronn for 1966	
Lien	47.61
Received from John and Alice Mar-	
shall, 1966 Lien	58.15
Received from Charles Kallman for	
1965 Liens	316.93
Received from Albert R. Estler, Har-	
old Sparks 1966 Lien	91.00
Received from John and Robert Potter	
for 1966 Liens	650.92
Received from Roger F. Blake for	
Chas Black Liens	790.07
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	\$2,189.90

Received from Harold E. Sennett, Tax Collector:

1962 Tax	\$ 27.60
1963 Tax	45.38
1965 Tax	119.50
1966 Tax	2,209.26
1967 Excise	5,135.65
1967 Tax	43,204.27
1968 Excise Tax	898.22
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	\$51,639.88

Received from State of Maine:

Treas. Tel. and Tel. Tax	\$	389.32	
Snow Removal		2,671.50	
Reimbursement on Porcupine Bounties		32.00	
Road Improvement		2,794.26	
Dog License Refund		28.66	
Project No. 167		5,128.00	
Project No. 167		3.28	
Project No. 366		260.02	
Education NDEA 111 '66 and '67			
2nd Payment		144.21	
Adv. Pay. 1967 GPA Education		18,046.00	
E. & S. Account 1965 Title No. 1		1,000.00	
Proj. No. 29, Coop. Title No. 1		1,000.00	
Proj. No. 29, Coop. Title No. 1		2,200.00	
Education Spec. Sub.		9,024.58	
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	\$42,721.83		42,721.83
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			\$121,516.45
Paid Selectmens Warrants			114,429.15
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			\$7,087.30
Less Check Fees and Check Book			26.26
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Cash in First National Granite Bank			\$7,061.04
1966 Liens	Collected	Uncollected	
\$1,604.10	\$882.00	\$722.10	

Care of Cemeteries

Lester Nelson,, New Greeley Corner Cemetery	\$82.00
Lester Nelson, Old Greeley Corner Cemetery	27.00
Yeaton's Service and Supply	30.00

W. C. Banton, Inc.	1.89
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	\$140.89
Lester Nelson, Center Cemetery	13.50
Yeaton's Service and Supply, Center Cemetery	10.00
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	\$23.50
Lester Nelson, Parmenter Cemetery	2.00
Lester Nelson, Osgood Cemetery	3.00
Lester Nelson, Perkins Cemetery	18.00
Lester Nelson, Hannan Cemetery	13.00
Lester Nelson, Cummings Lot	4.00
Lester Nelson, Cain Cemetery	4.00
Lester Nelson, Lenfest Cemetery	30.00
Yeaton's Service and Supply, Lenfest Cemetery	10.00
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	\$40.00
M. D. Saban, Smith Cemetery	\$23.50
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	\$271.89

NEW GREELEY CORNER CEMETERY

	Old Bal.	Earned	Withdrawn	Bal.
Mose White	106.71	4.88	3.00	108.59
Page Kane Lot	104.15	4.76	3.00	105.91
David Spratt Lot	103.58	4.75	3.00	105.33
C. & H. Bradstreet	213.59	9.77	6.00	217.36
W. W. Turner	54.91	2.51	2.00	55.42
Lottie Lane	271.21	12.42	6.00	277.63
Lewis Latlip	77.14	3.54	2.00	78.68
C. & S. Nelson	55.74	2.55	2.00	56.29
C. A. Erskine	314.08	14.36	6.00	322.44
Edna Bowley	105.92	4.84	3.50	107.26
Silas Bowler	107.77	4.93	3.50	109.20
Harry Handy	105.76	4.84	3.50	107.10
E. & D. Hinkley	107.20	4.91	3.50	108.61
Pinkham-Bourassa	106.45	4.87	3.50	107.82
Gilbert Brown	105.90	4.84	3.50	107.24
Percy Saban	106.75	4.88	3.50	108.13
E. & J. Finley	105.98	4.85	3.50	107.33
Gus Kaufmann	107.35	4.92	3.50	108.77
John Potter	105.86	4.84	3.50	107.20
Ethel Turner	104.48	4.79	3.50	105.77
Fred & Ella Didusch	103.49	4.18	3.50	104.17
Viola Redman	104.80	4.80	3.50	106.10
Mona Glenn	106.86	4.31	3.50	107.67
Cemetery Fence Fund				
\$25.00 added	508.02	19.59		527.61

OLD GREELEY CORNER CEMETERY

General Fund	2,010.48	92.01	46.89	2,055.60
Geo. W. Turner	224.95	10.30	5.00	230.25
J. & H. Greeley	252.32	11.55	5.00	258.87
Pullen & Pinkham	116.15	5.32	2.00	119.47
Fence Fund	48.56	2.22		50.78

PERKINS CEMETERY

	Old Bal.	Earned	Withdrawn	Bal.
G. W. Black	109.53	4.42	3.00	110.95
O. E. Pawlowsky	385.81	17.66	3.00	400.47
Turner & Nelson	253.50	11.57	3.00	262.07
W. A. & N. Nelson	302.29	13.84	3.00	313.13
Earl Nelson	114.16	5.22	3.00	116.38
Jacob Nelson	100.43	4.60	3.00	102.03

SMITH CEMETERY

Otis Hathorn	124.05	5.68	2.50	127.23
E. H. & D. Foster				
Lots	235.49	10.78	6.00	240.27
Nicholas French Lot	266.24	12.19	3.50	274.93
Bryant & Foye Lots	298.00	12.02	8.00	302.02
Carr-Marshall Lot	106.51	4.88	3.50	107.89

HANNAN CEMETERY

Andrew & Forest				
Tibbetts	394.14	18.03		412.17
A. & L. Turner Lots	354.43	16.22	5.00	365.65
Elvin Turner &				
Ansel Glidden	253.15	11.59	5.00	259.74
Woodbury Tibbetts				
Lot	234.03	10.64		244.67
Albert Boynton Lot	101.49	4.64	3.00	103.13

CAIN CEMETERY

Martha Belden Fund	322.16	13.06	4.00	331.22
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CENTER CEMETERY

Batchelder Fund	610.65	24.77	23.50	611.92
Dennis Hill Cemetery	24.39	1.11		25.50
Ernest J. Parmenter				
Cemetery	242.01	11.07	2.00	251.08

	Old Bal.	Earned	Withdrawn	Bal.
Osgood Cem. Fund	132.59	6.07	3.00	135.66
Lenfest Cem. Fund	1,380.52	63.18	40.00	1,403.70

EAST PALERMO CEMETERY

Amasa Cummings				
Lot	103.50	4.73	4.00	104.23

SAND HILL CEMETERY

Arthur Plummer	103.50	4.73		108.23
Maud Black	50.00	2.16		52.16
Cyrus Oliver	50.00	2.16		52.16
Peter Morang	100.00	4.34		104.34

MANLEY L. NELSON, Treas.

REPORT OF THE PALERMO VOLUNTEER**FIRE DEPARTMENT**

The year 1967 was a rather quiet one for your Volunteer Fire Department, both in number of calls and attendance at our meetings.

We responded to ten calls last year. These consisted of one Building, one Trailer, one Woods fire, one Dump, one Auto and five Chimney fires.

There has been a noticeable decline in attendance at our Meetings and Training Sessions. We would like to see more take an active part in our Fire Department to learn the equipment and how to operate it in an emergency when the few who do are not around.

We must continue to ask your financial support to keep our Department and equipment ready to serve you.

Would you also give your physical support to make us a better Fire Department.

Chief: L. M. Glidden

President: Dale Glendenning

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

**Maine Department of Health and Welfare
Division of Public Health Nursing, Bureau of Health
Annual Report of Public Health Nursing Service
in Palermo in the year 1967**

Your public health nurse, a member of the staff of the Division of Public Health Nursing, provided the community nursing service in the Town of Palermo.

The nurse made sixty-one visits to, or in behalf of, individuals in Palermo. The nurse also made seventeen visits to plan for school or community health activities.

The nurse planned with the health committee members and Dr. John Barnard, school physician, for health examinations of selected children. Twenty-two children received a physical examination, performed by the school physician. Thirty-seven children received protection against smallpox.

The public health nurse arranged child health conference activities in neighboring communities and these were available to Palermo pre-school age children. Immunizations were offered against measles, diphtheria, whooping cough, smallpox, poliomyelitis and tetanus. Your public health nurse gave counseling to families.

Appreciation is extended to each volunteer worker who assisted in the community health program.

Respectfully submitted,

Evelyn V. Friedman, R. N.

Public Health Nurse

WALKER FUND

Waldo Hospital

Town	Number of Recipients	Amount Expended
Appleton	7	\$1,070
Liberty	41	5,318
Montville	18	1,227
Palermo	0	0
Searsmont	41	3,198
Washington	6	951
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	113	\$11,764
Cemetery Care		81
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		\$11,845

Thayer Hospital

Town	Number of Recipients	Amount Expended
Appleton	2	\$2,569
Liberty	11	682
Montville	11	1,982
Palermo	52	5,771
Searsmont	1	236
Washington	3	456
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	80	\$11,696

University of Maine

Town	Number of Recipients	Amount Expended
Appleton	8	\$8,900
Liberty	4	5,800
Montville	0	0
Palermo	4	3,450
Searsmont	3	3,500
Washington	2	1,800
	<hr/> 21	<hr/> \$23,450

We hope that you will make every effort to see that the residents of your Town are kept aware of the benefits available to them under Miss Walker's trust.

Sincerely yours,

GEO. A. WICK

Assistant Secretary

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

To January 1, 1968

Dogs Licensed in 1967

67 Males

20 Spayed Females

6 Females

2 Kennels

Dogs Unlicensed in 1967

1 Male

Vital Statistics Recorded

8 Marriages

19 Deaths

12 Births

VIRGINIA W. DOWE

Town Clerk of Palermo

SCHOOL REPORT

The school budget has been prepared after extensive study and careful consideration. There are many factors in the school budget which are changing and unpredictable. The chief item in this class is high school tuition, which is not a definite figure until it is figured next July. The expense of this item is based on the high school expenditures for the present school year. All tuition shows an advancement each year, and one school in this area has estimated this figure at fifty dollars (\$50) per pupil.

Salary Contracts for Year

Teachers

Mr. Herbert Flint, Prin.	\$5,600.00
Mrs. Margaret Emerson	4,900.00
Mrs. Ramona Marple	5,100.00
Mrs. Annabel Turnbull	5,000.00

Bus Drivers

Mr. Harold Dyer	\$2,827.64
Mr. Ross Hannon	1,170.00
Mr. Willie Merrithew	2,519.92

The elementary school enrollment as of January 5, is as follows: Kindergarten, 12 pupils; Grade One, 12 pupils; Grade Two, 10 pupils; Grade Three, 12 pupils; Grade Four, 15 pupils; Grade Five, 14 pupils; Grade Six, 12 pupils; Grade Seven, 13 pupils; and Grade Eight, 11 pupils. Total, 111 pupils.

We have paid secondary school tuition since September 5, on the following:

School	Number of Pupils	Annual Rate
Lawrence High	2	\$480.00
Erskine Academy	38	534.09

The school shares with the parent the faith and hope that the life of the child shall be fine and right. Carefully trained teachers know, even as you know, that the foundations of life are laid in simple everyday habits. They know that the child who is well and happy, who is punctual and regular, who is helpful to his parents, his associates and his teacher is well on his way toward a good life.

To all citizens who have worked to make our school successful, we extend our many thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

A. H. SNOW

Superintendent of Schools

Palermo School Lunch

Receipts

Unexpended Bal.	\$ 240.47
Income, Children	4,682.61
State Subsidy	730.93
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	\$5,654.01
Expenditures	5,633.12
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Balance	\$20.89

FINANCIAL STATEMENT ENDING 12|30|67

 Receipts

Unexpended Balance	3,494.05
Town Appropriation	25,000.00
State General Purpose Aid	27,070.58
State Check	444.42
Over Payment	78.10
N. D. E. A.	144.21

 56,231.36

Expenditures

ADMINISTRATION

Salaries	1,359.43
Other Expense	166.00

INSTRUCTION

Salaries	18,552.51
Sick Leave	120.00
Textbooks	636.94
Library - Audio Visual	51.43
Supplies	265.72

TRANSPORTATION

Salary	1,077.00
Contracted Services	4,952.29
Insurance	117.80
Other	518.20

OPERATION OF PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

Salary	1,243.20
Heat	969.50

Utilities	432.80
Supplies	743.61
Other	16.60

FOOD SERVICES	400.00
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HEALTH SERVICES

Salary	236.20
Other	45.52

PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED	80.00
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FIXED CHARGES

Insurance	82.00
Emergency Fund	702.70

MAINTENANCE OF PLANT & EQUIP.

Contracted Services	329.05
Replacement of Equip.	942.48
Other	18.40

DEBT SERVICE

Schoolbus	1,087.50
TUITION - Secondary	19,472.21

54,619.09

Unexpended	1,612.27
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ESTIMATED SCHOOL BUDGET 1968

Receipts

Unexpended Balance	1,612.27
Town Appropriation	30,484.34
State General Purpose Aid	30,328.75

62,425.36

Expenditures

ADMINISTRATION

School Committee	100.00
Office Expense	40.00
Secretary	113.00
Superintendent	875.00

1,128.00

INSTRUCTION

Salaries	21,393.00
Sick-leave	120.00
Textbooks	700.00
Library	52.00
Supplies	275.00

22,540.00

TRANSPORTATION

Contract	5,347.36
Salaries	1,170.00
Insurance	125.00
Gas, Oil, & Repairs	1,000.00

7,642.36

OPERATION OF PLANT

Salary	1,800.00
Heat	1,200.00
Utilities	500.00
Supplies and labor	750.00
Other	100.00

4,350.00

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FOOD SERVICE	400.00	
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HEALTH		
Salaries	240.00	
Other	46.00	
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PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED	80.00	
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FIXED CHARGES		
School Bus Note	1,200.00	
Insurance	82.00	
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EMERGENCY FUND	702.00	
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MAINTENANCE OF PLANT		
Contracted Services	400.00	
Replacement of Equipment	950.00	
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HIGH SCHOOL TUITION	22,665.00	
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		62,425.36

AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Selectmen of the

Town of Palermo:

We have examined the balance sheet of the Town of Palermo as of December 31, 1967 and the related summaries of operations and surplus for the period then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures considered necessary in the circumstances; except that we did not verify uncollected tax balances with the debtors, as to which we satisfied ourselves through other procedures.

In accordance with the accounting practices followed by municipalities, the accounts are kept on a modified accrual basis under which only the more important revenues and expenses are accrued. Operating account balances are lapsed and or forwarded at the discretion of the Selectmen.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly the financial position of the Town at December 31, 1967 and the results of its operations for the year then ended, in conformity in all material respects with generally accepted accounting practices common to communities of this size, and applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

HENRY T. LORD

Auditor

February 24, 1968

COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

GENERAL FUND

	Dec. 31 '67	Jan. 31 '67
Cash	\$7,061.04	\$1,228.66
Accounts Receivable	271.89	976.94
Uncollected Taxes	6,373.38	5,275.12
Tax Liens	722.10	619.40
Matured Tax Liens	1,569.62	1,812.08
Amt. Necessary to Retire Debt	3,000.00	6,000.00
Grader Account Deficit	1,375.12	589.85

TRUST AND RESERVE FUNDS

Savings Accounts	14,528.62	12,946.92
	<u>34,901.77</u>	<u>29,448.97</u>

LIABILITIES

GENERAL FUND

Accounts Payable	867.74	240.00
Notes Payable to Bank	3,000.00	6,000.00
Departmental Balances	6,754.12	4,585.12
Unappropriated Surplus	9,751.29	5,676.93

TRUST AND RESERVE FUNDS

Principal and Unexpended Income		
Cemetery Funds	14,256.73	12,673.73
Due to General Fund	271.89	273.19
	<u>34,901.77</u>	<u>29,448.97</u>

Note: Under the terms of a February 1, 1952 lease agreement with the Maine School Building authority, the Town is liable for ten annual rental payments of \$1,400.00 (plus interest and pro-rata administrative expenses) payable each December 1, 1968 to 1977.

UNAPPROPRIATED SURPLUS

Balance Feb. 1, 1967	\$5,676.93
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INCREASE

Excise taxes	\$6,033.87
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Less-Approps. for

Roads and bridges	\$2,000.00
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Winter roads	1,500.00	3,500.00	2,533.87
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Supplemental taxes	808.27
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Overlay	690.39
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Proceeds from sale of tax acquired property	2,543.57
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6,576.10

12,253.03

DECREASE

Abatements and cancellations	1,033.26
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Excess of current year expenditures over available funds	1,468.48
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2,501.74

BALANCE - December 31, 1967	\$9,751.29
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DEPARTMENTAL OPERATIONS

Eleven Months Ended December 31, 1967

	Approp. & Credit	Expend & Trans.	Balances to Surplus	Balances Forward
ADMINISTRATION				
Town Officers	\$2,300.00	\$2354.70	\$ (54.70)	\$
Town Charges	2,098.62	2,048.69	49.93	
PROTECTION				
Fire Department	500.00	500.00		
Fire Alarm	132.00	132.00		
Forest Fires	200.00			200.00
Street Lights	138.00	138.00		
Civil Defense	100.00			100.00
HEALTH AND SANITATION				
Public Nurse	100.00	100.00		
Dump	100.00			100.00
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES				
Roads and Bridges	5,000.00	5,092.47	(92.47)	
Winter Roads	8,796.50	8,728.37	68.13	
State Aid	2,132.00	2,132.00		
Town Road Imp.	2,794.26	2,793.18	1.08	
Brush Control	339.98			339.98
Grader	1,318.65	2,693.77		(1,375.12)
Tarring	1,744.49	2,442.76	(698.27)	
Grade Greeley Cemetery	300.00	300.00		
CHARITY				
Poor Account	585.00	1,300.92	(715.92)	
Aid to Dependent Children	518.20	430.92		87.28
EDUCATION				
Schools	56,231.36	54,619.09		1,612.27
School Bonds	1,919.11	1,919.11		
Federal Aid Programs	9,591.30	5,335.44		4,255.86

UNCLASSIFIED

Cemeteries	271.89	271.89		
Dennis Hill Cemetery	38.40			38.40
Town Cemetery	30.00	9.67		20.33
County Tax	3,372.50	3,372.50		
Sundry		26.26	(26.26)	
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	\$100,652.26	\$96,741.74	\$(1,468.48)	\$5,379.00
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Grader Account Deficit				1,375.12
Unexpended				6,754.12

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